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Presented for filing is a new patent application claiming priority from a provisional patent application of:

Applicant: JOSHUA LABAER AND ALBERT Y. LAU

Title: NUCLEIC-ACID PROGRAMMABLE PROTEIN ARRAYS

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Specification	115
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Enclosures:

- New disclosure information, including:
Information disclosure statement, 1 page.
PTO-1449, 2 pages.
References, 19 items.
- Postcard.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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Under 35 USC §119(e)(1), this application claims the benefit of prior U.S. provisional application 60/263,607, filed January 23, 2001.

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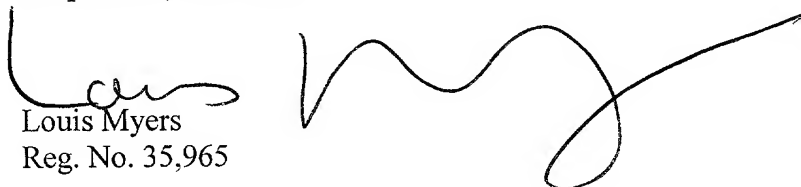
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